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In Re Application of:)	Examiner:	Not Yet Assigned
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Volker SCHÄFER, et al.)	Art Unit:	Unknown
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Serial No.: 10/727,867)	Conf. No.:	Unknown
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Filed: December 4, 2003)	Docket No.:	H169 1620.1



For: **HEAD RESTRAINT FOR A VEHICLE SEAT**

REQUEST FOR RECONSTRUCTION OF FILE UNDER 37 CFR 1.251(a)

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Sir:


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Accordingly and further to 37 CFR 1.251(a)(2)(ii), Applicant attests that the enclosed copy is a complete and accurate copy of the Applicant's record of all the written correspondence between the Office and the Applicant for the above-referenced application, and Applicant is not aware of any correspondence between the Office and the Applicant for above-referenced application that is not among Applicant's or Patentee's records.

Should any outstanding issues or questions remain, it is respectfully requested that the undersigned be promptly contacted at 704-331-4904.

Respectfully submitted

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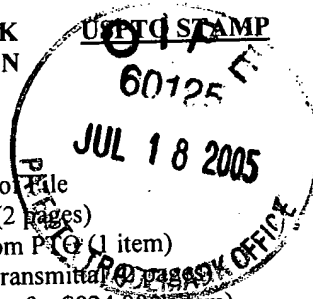
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